

(nonprivileged foreign status—NPF) on certain petrochemical feedstocks and refinery by-products (duty-free). The duty on crude oil ranges from 5.25¢ to 10.5¢/barrel. The application indicates that the savings from zone procedures would help improve the refinery's international competitiveness.

In accordance with the Board's regulations (as revised, 56 FR 50790–50808, 10–8–91), a member of the FTZ Staff has been designated examiner to investigate the application and report to the Board.

Public comment is invited from interested parties. Submissions (original and 3 copies) shall be addressed to the Board's Executive Secretary at the address below. The closing period for their receipt is March 25, 1996. Rebuttal comments in response to material submitted during the foregoing period may be submitted during the subsequent 15-day period (to April 8, 1996).

A copy of the application and accompanying exhibits will be available for public inspection at each of the following locations:

U.S. Department of Commerce District Office 660 American Ave., Suite 201, King of Prussia, PA 19406.

Office of the Executive Secretary, Foreign-Trade Zones Board, Room 3716, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th & Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20230.

Dated: January 16, 1996.

John J. Da Ponte, Jr.,

Executive Secretary.

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International Trade Administration

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Silicon Metal From Argentina; Termination of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review

AGENCY: Import Administration, International Trade Administration, Department of Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of Termination of Antidumping Duty Administrative Review.

SUMMARY: In response to a request from the petitioners, the Department of Commerce (the Department) initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicon metal from Argentina (60 FR 53164, October 12, 1995) for Electrometalurgica Andina, S.A.I.C. and Silarsa, S.A. for the period September 1, 1994 through August 31, 1995. On October 12, 1995, the

petitioners filed a timely withdrawal of the request for review. Because there were no other requests for review from other interested parties, the Department is now terminating this review.

EFFECTIVE DATE: January 23, 1996.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Maureen McPhillips or John Kugelman, Office of Antidumping Compliance, Import Administration, U.S. Department of Commerce, 14th Street and Constitution Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20230, telephone (202) 482–5253.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Background

On September 12, 1995, the Department published in the Federal Register (60 FR 47349) the opportunity to request an administrative review of silicon metal from Argentina for the period September 1, 1994 through August 31, 1995. On September 29, 1995, American Silicon Technologies, Elkem Metals Company, Globe Metallurgical, Inc., and SKW Metals & Alloys, Inc., the petitioners, in accordance with 19 CFR 353.2(k) (1994), requested an administrative review of Electrometalurgica Andina, S.A.I.C. and Silarsa, S.A. On October 12, 1995, the Department initiated an administrative review of the antidumping duty order on silicon metal from Argentina in accordance with 19 CFR 352.22 and published the notice of initiation in the Federal Register. This notice stated that the Department would review merchandise sold in the United States by Electrometalurgica Andina, S.A.I.C. and Silarsa, S.A. during the period September 1, 1994 through August 31, 1995.

Termination of Review

The petitioners subsequently withdrew their request for review on October 12, 1995. Under CFR § 353.22(a)(5)(1994), a party requesting a review may withdraw that request no later than 90 days after the date of publication of the notice of initiation. Because the petitioners' withdrawal occurred within the time frame specified in 19 CFR § 353.22(a)(5), and no other interested party has requested an administrative review for this period, the Department is now terminating this review.

This notice is published pursuant to 19 CFR § 353.22(a)(5) of the Department's regulations.

Dated: January 16, 1996.

Joseph A. Spetrini,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Compliance.

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National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

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Endangered Species; Permits

AGENCY: National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA), Commerce.

ACTION: Notice of receipt of two applications for scientific research permits (P602 and P534A).

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that Peter Dutton of NMFS Southwest Fisheries Science Center and Donna McDonald of Ocean Planet Research, Inc. (P602), and Dr. Scott Eckert of the Hubbs-Sea World Research Institute (P534A), have applied in due form for permits to take listed sea turtles for the purpose of scientific research.

DATES: Written comments or requests for a public hearing on these applications must be received on or before February 22, 1996.

ADDRESSES: The applications and related documents are available for review by appointment in the following offices:

Office of Protected Resources, F/PR8, NMFS, 1315 East-West Hwy., Room 13307, Silver Spring, MD 20910–3226 (301–713–1401); and

Director, Southwest Region, NMFS, 501 West Ocean Blvd., Suite 4200, Long Beach, CA 90802–4213 (310–980–4016).

Written comments, or requests for a public hearing on these applications should be submitted to the Chief, Endangered Species Division, Office of Protected Resources.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Applications P602 and P534A request permits under the authority of the Endangered Species Act of 1973 (16 U.S.C. 1531–1543) and NMFS regulations governing listed fish and wildlife permits (50 CFR parts 217–227). Application P602 requests authorization to capture 50 green sea turtles (*Chelonia mydas*), 5 olive ridley sea turtles (*Lepidochelys olivacea*), and 5 loggerhead sea turtles (*Caretta caretta*) in San Diego Bay. The turtles would be measured, weighed, have blood samples taken, and have tags and transmitters attached. Some turtles would have lavage stomach sampling performed. Turtles would be recaptured monthly for growth measurements. The purpose of the research is to reassess the status of sea turtles in San Diego Bay. Data collected will be compared to baseline data to determine which turtles are still resident in the Bay, and to determine